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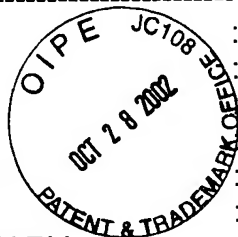
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In re Application of:
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Title: AMINE AND QUATERNARY
AMMONIUM SALT DERIVATIVES OF
GLYCIDYL ETHERS AND GLYCIDYL
ESTERS

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Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F. R. §1.56 and in accordance with applicant's duty of disclosure requirements, applicant provides the attached documents to be made of record in the above-identified case. A listing of the documents on form PTO-1449 is also provided.

The documents submitted herewith are mentioned in the International Search Report issued and mailed with respect to the corresponding international application on August 2, 2002. It is believed that the present Information Disclosure Statement is "IDS" is being filed prior to the issuance of a first office action in this case; therefore, no filing fee is believed to be due. If the present IDS crosses in the mail with a first office action, the examiner is requested to note that the present IDS is being filed within three months of the mailing date of the aforementioned International Search Report.

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German Patent Nos.: 43 23 810; 30 23 402; 2 359 234 and 682393 are not readily available in English language, however, English language Equivalents for these documents, i.e., GB 5,494,593; GB 2,052,977; GB 1,459,806; are submitted herewith. In respect to German Patent No.: 682393 neither an English patent family member nor an English abstract is available.

This statement is not intended to represent that no better art exists. Applicant reserves the right to contest the applicability of the above-cited references as prior art in the event that any information is disclosed which demonstrates that said references do not qualify as prior art.

Consideration of the present Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested. The claimed invention is, however, believed to represent a patentable departure from the teachings of the cited art.

Respectfully submitted,



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